

CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

INFORMATION REPORT

COUNTRY Bulgaria

SUBJECT Troop Movements and Maneuvers
25X1APLACE ACQUIRED
(BY SOURCE)DATE ACQUIRED
(BY SOURCE)

DATE (OF INFO.) 17 Dec 53

THIS DOCUMENT CONTAINS INFORMATION AFFECTING THE NATIONAL DEFENSE OF THE UNITED STATES, WITHIN THE MEANING OF TITLE 18, SECTIONS 793 AND 794, OF THE U.S. CODE, AS AMENDED. ITS TRANSMISSION OR REVELATION OF ITS CONTENTS TO OR RECEIPT BY AN UNAUTHORIZED PERSON IS PROHIBITED BY LAW. THE REPRODUCTION OF THIS REPORT IS PROHIBITED.

25X1X

REPORT NO. 25X1A

RESPONSIVE TO	
1	2
CD NO.	
OO/C NO.	
ORR NO.	
DAS NO.	
OCI NO.	

DATE DISTR. 25 Feb 1954

NO. OF PAGES 1

NO. OF ENCLS.

SUPP. TO

1. It is confirmed that concentration of motorized regiments and infantry has continued in the Khaskovo sector, to which the 2nd Division is assigned. Similar movements have been observed in the Yambol and Simeonovgrad sectors. The concentration seems to be directed to the Maritsa valley.
2. Troop movement on the Yugoslav frontier indicates concentration in the sectors: Dragoman--Slivnitsa-Dresnik. /Sic - probably Breznik/.
3. Bulgarian maneuvers arranged to accustom the troops to the new Soviet weapons are not to be confused with the regular maneuvers. These regular maneuvers took place, in the sectors listed in Paras. 1 and 2 above, in Jul 1953. While both sets of maneuvers were carefully protected, there seems reason to expect that further information regarding them will be obtained before very long.

-end-

LIBRARY SUBJECT & AREA CODES

238.21 20M

U.S. Officials Only

SECRET

DISTRIBUTION	STATE	ARMY	NAVY	AIR	FBI						
--------------	-------	------	------	-----	-----	--	--	--	--	--	--

This report is for the use within the USA of the Intelligence components of the Departments or Agencies indicated above. It is not to be transmitted overseas without the concurrence of the originating office through the Assistant Director of the Office of Collection and Dissemination, CIA.